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Alone in the dear old homestead, That once was full of life, Full of girlish laughter, Echoing with boyish strife, We two are waiting together And oft, as the shadows com-

With tremulous voice, he calls me "It is night, are the children home "Yes, love," I answer him gently, "They're all home long ago;" And I sing, in my quivering treble,

A song so soft and low, 'Till the old man drops to slumber With his head upon his hand, And I tell to myself the number At home in the better land.

Home, where never a sorrow Shall dim their eyes with tears, Where the smile of God is on them Through all the Summer years. I know, yet my arms are empty. That fondly folded seven ;

Away on the wings of light.

My husband calls from his corner,

All alone in the night.

and South-west has been going on rapidly within the last ten years. It Is almost starved for Heaven would be difficult to determine wheth-Sometimes, in the dusk of evening, er Illinois or Kentucky is the center I only shut my eyes, of the short-horn breeding interest in And the children are all about me this country. The center, wherever A vision from the skies; it may be, is a movable one. The The babes whose dimpled fingers Texan steer, that is, the original leng-Lost the way to my breast, horned, half-wild animal, is rapidly And the beautiful ones, the angels Passed to the world of the blest disappearing. Droves of these cattle are now rarely seen. They have been A breath, and the vision is lifted displaced by better ones .- N. Y. Ship-

And again we two are together, ping List. THE COST OF RAISING WREAT. They tell me his mind is failing.

who purchased them.

nild climate, they increased multi-

tudinously. Texas became full of

the incorporation of these countries

with ours, uncouth and ragged as

they were in their wild condition

the subjection of civilized stockmen arranged into herds, branded with the

marks of their owners, and at market-

able age driven through the Indian

Territory into Kansas, and thence

kets, either for immediate slaughter

ripped to Missouri and Chicago mar

sold to the graziers and feeders for a

better market Eastward. These wild

cattle are unfit for choice beef, but the

cows, crossed on the ranches by shorthorn bulls, produce tolerably good

steers, partaking strongly of the blood

and forms of their sires, and, with

good pasturage and grain topping-off

hands of the corn-growing graziers

The grading up of cattle in the West

wheat, touches a question vital to the Living

But I smile at idle fears; A Missouri correspondent of the He is only back with the children Country Gentleman writes an interest-In the dear and peaceful years. ing account of his experiments in de-And still, as the Summer sunset. termining the cost of raising wheat. Fades away in the west, He says: And the wee ones, tired of playing, Go trooping home to rest,

"Say, love, have the children cot farming interests throughout the Mid-And I answer, with eyes uplifted, dle and Eastern States. We are brought into competition with the fer-tile and easily cultivated wheat belt of Suits from \$3 to \$30. "Yes, dear, they are all at home." NOTES. the North-west, where that cereal can The Panhaudle of Texas, compris- be raised and placed on the market at ing 5,000,000 acres, has been sold to a a cost of thirty-two cents per bushel. and when we take into consideration London company for \$10,000,000. One school district in Maine, con- the fact that the wheat thus cheaply \$10,000 for apples sold in a single year. runs no risk of being winter-killed, California is becoming a cotton- and is greatly preferred by millers for growing State. One plantation in exportation, it is time that we, who Sonoma county yielded last season are contending against such odds, should be looking out for a better and 40,000 pounds from 200 acres. It is said that the saving of half a cheaper method, to be able to meet A Large Stock of Trunks and Valises. cent a bushel in gathering the corn crop of Kansas would be an aggregate fifty to seventy cents to place a bushel commy of nearly three-quarters of a

seeds require to be sown more deeply solve the question of bringing down

in proportion to their size and the the cost of raising a bushel of wheat lightness of the soil. to a minimum. omposed of three thick-duced, with the best of cultivation nesses of cowhide compressed into a eight bushels of wheat per acre, the mold and subject to a chemical land having been worn out by croprepartion. It is said to last longer ping to wheat for a number of years an the common shoe, weighs only before I got it. While the crop was

It is marvelous how sheep and wool-growing have increased in this coun-set. Immediately after the wheat was try within the last fifteen or twenty cut, and as fast as placed in shock, I years. In 1860 there were only 23,- applied on the stubble half a bushel of 000,000 sheep in the United States. Portland land plaster. By the first of 60,000,000 pounds; to-day it is nearly high and in full bloom. Then, just 300,000,000 -au increase within this nine weeks from the time of cutting period of over two fold of sheep and the wheat, I started the plows with five fold in the production of wool, sixteen-inch rolling cutters, burying giving unmistakable evidence of our the clover under a square furrow eight

hog's lard rubbed three or four times ever invented), and commenced drillon any kind of warts on horses or cat- ing the wheat on September 20. The applications. I have removed the cepting the surface, which was kept warts time after time and have not mellow by the harrow. The followbeen able to find the wart for the ling is the account per acre for the first the Latin name for lard and tell men to pay fifty cents to the druggists for about two cents worth of good lard this remedy would be oftener used."

The following table is as near correct as possible to determine the number of days of pregnancy of the various animals and fowls on the farm.

Among animals, particularly mares and cows, the younger ones will run a Net profit par acre. fourth application. If I should send year:

run 840 days; cows, 238 days; ewes el profit. and she goats, 150 days; sows, 112

The second year the cost was the days; bitches, 64 days; cats, 50 days.

Hens generally sit 21 days; turkeys

Substituting a La Dow-pulverizer for ducks, 30 days; pigeons, 18 days from about the same. 

haracter it is economical to manure the plant rather than the soil. The practice is especially applied to crops el, 56 cents, leaving 54 cents per bushel sown in drills, where the plants are a considerable distance apart in the rows. The manure is deposited by the drill along the line of each plant Substituting the La Dow pulverizer. immediately covered in. for the harrow as well as the drill Manures which are not so readily sowing broadcast: soluble produce the best effect when Cost third year, per acreintimately mixed with the soil.—
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Actual cost of production per bush-

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The fifth crop was abou as the last. I have dropped all fracight suppose that with such an array tions, giving the average price re-numbers of our short-horns the ceived for my wheat during the five loss of them would gradually diminsh at both the public and private sales States. Such, how- The London Builder mys that one of ever is not the fact; average sales are the most simple and ready methods of now equal in prices to what they have loosening a screw is to apply heat to 10,000 each, so esteemed for every house, that instrument, if heated et and quality are they by our laining breeders. Much higher indeed, have been obtained in mit years, even as high as \$55,-

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